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Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. Copies of the listed documents are also enclosed.

The Japanese language document is discussed in the specification at page 2. Applicants submit that the document is relevant for the reasons noted therein. In addition, Applicants have obtained from a commercial database an English language abstract for the Japanese language document, a copy of which is enclosed for the Examiner's convenience.

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No fee is believed due in connection with this paper; however, if any fee is

due, it should be charged to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate of this paper is

enclosed for that purpose.

CONCLUSION

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the

Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such

information has been considered.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington D.C.

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